

11 FREIGHT CARS BURN IN JUAREZ

Mexico North Western Cars
of Lumber Destroyed Fri-
day Morning.

Eleven freight cars were burned in the North Western yards in Juarez at 3 o'clock Friday morning. The cars included five cars from Pearson loaded with lumber for the El Paso Milling company in El Paso and six empty cars. It is not known how the cars caught fire but it is believed that they were burned by civilians and that the military or civil officials had nothing to do with the fire. For the exodus south the military is in need of as many cars as they can get and railroad men say that they do not think the military officers would deliberately order the firing of the cars because of a grudge against Americans when the cars were so badly needed for moving troops, supplies and refugees.

The light from the burning cars, which were standing in the North Western yards southeast of El Paso, attracted much attention in El Paso early Friday morning and caused a report to become general in the city that the buildings in the town had been set on fire after being abandoned by the military.

JOSE CARREON CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTING TO INCITE RIOT
While making a speech urging all Mexicans to join the Carranza army and protect their country, Jose Carreon, an aged Mexican, was arrested by police officers on South El Paso street Friday morning on a charge of attempting to incite a riot.

This was the second arrest of Carreon within the past three days as a result of his alleged anti-American attitude. He was released in corporation court Wednesday afternoon after being warned that after he repeated the offense he would be subject to a severe fine.

Carreon, who is reported to have resisted the officers who made the arrest of his father, was charged with interfering with an officer.

RED CROSS BRANCH TO SEND PRESENTS TO SOLDIERS AT FRONT
The American Red Cross will open an El Paso branch for the forwarding and distributing of gifts for the United States soldiers on the border and in Mexico. The work will be in charge of the local branch of the Red Cross, and will receive the support of the military authorities.

Packages intended for the soldier boys will be addressed to the El Paso bureau, and not to individuals in care of the bureau. It is no part of the plan of the new bureau to undertake to deliver packages to individuals, but gifts will be sent to the different troop centers and apportioned among the men.

A similar station is being established in San Antonio.

MOTORCYCLE SCOUTS PATROL STREETS AND VALLEY ROADS

Motorcycle scouts were out Thursday night in the city and along the lower valley road patrolling and watching for any suspicious looking Mexicans.

The motorcycle scouts were out before dark Thursday night, the infantrymen with their rifles in the hold-ers which have been attached to the fronts of the motorcycles. Some of the motorcycles carried three men, one on the driver's seat, another behind him and a third man riding in the side car.

The motorcycle patrol was seen on the county road between El Paso and Yaleta at different times Thursday night, at one time there being no less than a dozen scouts scattered along the road.

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ONLY 100 TROOPS LEFT IN JUAREZ

Field Pieces and Machine
Guns Reported Taken Out
During Night.

Juarez is practically deserted by the military. There remains only 100 Carranza soldiers in the town and the train is made up and ready to go south with these last remaining soldiers on board Gen. Francisco Gonzalez is reported to have remained in Juarez Friday morning closing up the affairs of the town, but is expected to depart before night. Carranza consul Andres Garcia also spent the night in Juarez again last night and is assisting Gen. Gonzalez.

Families Leaving.
Civilian residents of the town continue to leave and many more are planning to go south on the next train out. It was reported that a train left Juarez during the night Thursday for Chihuahua City. This train is said to have carried the six big field pieces which have been in the custody of Carranza and which have been considered a positive menace to El Paso by American army officers. Seventeen machine guns are also said to have been taken south on this train.

Refugees from El Paso continue to go to Juarez with their beds, bedding, furniture, pots, pans and kettles. The exodus from El Paso resembles that from Juarez at the time of previous scares and fights, except that the tide is going south instead of north across the international bridge. Few Mexicans are coming to this side, the immigration officers at the Santa Fe bridge report.

Many Stores Closed.
Many of the stores in Juarez are closed, many more residences have the blinds drawn and the doors locked and there is a general air of abandonment about the old border town which has been the scene of so many stirring affairs during the past five years. The street cars continue to operate through the main streets, but few Mexican and no American passengers ride on the cars. The street cars stopped at 9:30 Thursday night for the remainder of the night. No disturbances were reported in Juarez Thursday night, although there was much excitement among the people and a general feeling that a break will occur between the two countries soon.

CHARGED WITH SMUGGLING AMMUNITION, TO BE GIVEN TRIAL
On the complaint of attempting to smuggle 3500 rounds of ammunition across the Santa Fe bridge to Juarez, Luis Carreon will be given a preliminary hearing this afternoon at 3 o'clock before Gen. B. Oliver, district court clerk.

Carreon was arrested last Sunday when it is alleged the ammunition was found under the seat of a small automobile occupied by an aged man beside Carreon.

It is charged the automobile is the property of the customs house at Juarez. Carreon claims the ammunition was placed in the car while he was absent.

GUARD WHO SHOT SOLDIERS IS EXONERATED BY JURY
Naco, Ariz., June 23.—A coroner's jury late Thursday exonerated William Humphrey, a Mexican-American, employed as a watchman at the Naco water tank, for the killing of one United States soldier and wounding five others.

Humphrey testified that, because of the darkness, he could not see the uniforms of the soldiers and mistook them for Mexican bandits. He fired upon them as they approached the water tank at 3 o'clock Thursday morning, preparatory to changing the guard.

FIVE AMERICANS ARRIVE AT BORDER FROM CANANEA
The five Americans, including two El Pasoans, who have been missing from Cananea since Monday, reached Douglas Friday morning safely. The Americans were A. B. Wilkinson, assistant superintendent of the Cananea smelter, a former chemist at the El Paso smelter; John Gilliland, a private secretary in the Cananea office of Gen. Prince, of San Diego, superintendent of the smelter; Henry Thurston and Dan Carter, also employees of the Cananea company.

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4 MORE NEGRO SOLDIERS WOUND

Are Taken Prisoner By Car-
ranza Troops Following
Battle at Carrizal.

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cans to enter Carrizal for a conference. Capt. Boyd declined this invitation. "On this Gen. Gomez wanted the Americans to retire, pointing out that his orders from his superiors necessitated his acting on them without further parley. Gen. Gomez repeated these words as he walked away. Boyd merely replied, 'All right.'"

Negroes Demoralized.
Gen. Trevino's announcement then goes on to quote Spillbury as saying that after Gen. Gomez had retired to his troops, who were lined up outside the town, Boyd ordered his men to advance, whereupon Spillbury expostulated with him, arguing that a fight was sure to follow. Spillbury is reported as saying that Capt. Boyd "obstinately seemed to think that the Mexican general was only bluffing, and the firing quickly commenced." He is quoted further: "Capt. Morey and Lieut. Adair fell, the latter mortally wounded. Capt. Morey was wounded in the shoulder and immediately the negroes became demoralized. At the same time the men holding the horses fled with the mounts, leaving behind 17 negroes and myself. We were forced to surrender. I saw the bodies of Boyd and Adair and at least 11 negroes on the field of battle. Mexican authorities asserted that the prisoners had been well treated en route to Chihuahua."

FEVER OF WAR SWEEPS SONORA 3 MOTOR TRUCKS CROSS TO JUAREZ

Populace Marches Shouting
for War, Say Refugees;
North Big Armed Camp.

Nogales, Ariz., June 22.—Harvey Eller, A. P. Sprague, Mrs. H. E. Underwood, and Dr. M. N. Wade, superintendent of the El Cajon mine at Boluda, 60 miles west of Santa Ana in Sonora, arrived here early today, having been brought from Magdalena on a long train heavily loaded with troops.

Country Alive With Troops.
"The whole country from Magdalena north is alive with troops," said Dr. Wade. "And I have never seen the Mexicans so hostile. Party differences have been buried, and the people spend the nights parading the streets with bands, fire crackers and shouts for war on the United States."

"The whole state of Sonora, we learned, has been distracted and the number of men, available guns, horses and supplies limited."

Guards From Insult.
"We were treated with every respect, because our guard carefully observed the orders given by the general in charge at Magdalena. He required the guards' threats of death to keep the soldiers and populace from insulting us."

Underwood and the three men from the mine had planned to travel by carriage rather than encounter the Mexicans gathered at Magdalena, but were compelled to call on the Mexican commandant for transportation when their driver deserted them at Santa Ana. The train stopped at the morning a few miles below the border and the party walked the rest of the way.

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EL PASO FOR REGIMENT

G. A. R., Confederate Veter-
ans, and Spanish War
Veterans to Assist U. S.

G. A. R., Confederate and Spanish war veterans in El Paso are planning to form a veterans' brigade of 1000 or more men to serve as auxiliary troops with the United States army.

This was the gist of a resolution which has been drafted here and a copy of which has been taken to San Antonio by the delegates to the state convention of the United Spanish War veterans. It is planned to form this regiment from among the able bodied civil war veterans, together with the Spanish war veterans and to have this regiment assist in policing, maintaining lines of communication, guard ammunition supplies, prisoners and other work which would relieve an equal number of younger men from active service in the field.

The resolution was taken to San Antonio by V. E. Koenig, commander of Hamilton Fish camp, No. 2, which originated the idea. He was accompanied by H. Heitzman, vice commander, Albert Belfer, quartermaster, who are also delegates to the state convention. The parade of the veterans will work for the 1917 convention for El Paso.

THREE MEXICANS ARE HURT IN BRAWL AT NEEDLES.
Needles, Calif., June 22.—Three Mexicans were slightly injured as the result of a brawl in the city here Thursday night. The city today was quiet.

3 MOTOR TRUCKS CROSS TO JUAREZ
Three big, two-ton motor trucks were permitted to cross the Santa Fe bridge Friday morning for the Juarez military to be used in hauling ammunition and supplies. The trucks were bought from local truck agencies and were permitted to cross the bridge without delay.

Although a food embargo is said to be in effect against Mexico, a number of wagon loads of flour and other food, said to have been intended for the Carranza army, was permitted to cross to Juarez Friday morning.

An embargo has also been declared upon coal shipments to Juarez for the purpose of sending several large shipments of coal were refused at the bridge Thursday afternoon. No ammunition is being permitted to cross, this embargo having been in effect for several months.

U. S. PREPARING TO TAKE JUAREZ
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Mexican Carrizal will be a precautionary measure in order to control the country south of Juarez and prevent an army of Mexican civil officials from attacking the troops stationed around Juarez for defensive purposes.

Militia Coming.
The report Thursday evening that a brigade and a half of national guard, consisting of five regiments, had been ordered to Fort Bliss, is believed to be intended as relief for the troops at the front and on the border. The occupation of Juarez becomes a reality. In the event that the town is occupied, it will be placed under martial law, although Mexican civil officials will probably be named or the local officials permitted to continue their duties, if they desire.

GEN. CARAVEO REPORTED TO HAVE JOINED CARRANZA
Police and city officials were informed Friday that Gen. Marcelo Caraveo, a former Orozco commander, has left El Paso, gone to Juarez with the expressed intention of joining the Mexican army.

Caraveo was one of Orozco's principal commanders during the Orozco revolution, and was with him at Carrizal when Orozco arranged to surrender and join the Huerta federal force.

Caraveo has been living in El Paso since the federal force were released at Fort Winkate. At one time a number of rifles were found in his home but they were later returned to him.

Caraveo's friends say they have not seen him in El Paso during the past two days and he is now believed to be with Gen. Gonzalez's force.

GOVERNOR'S WARNING TO BE PUBLISHED IN SPANISH
Austin, Tex., June 22.—Col. F. A. Chapa, of San Antonio, a member of Gov. Ferguson's military staff, was here today and conferred with the governor relative to the best means of distributing the governor's proclamation, recently issued to the Mexicans of Texas.

Col. Chapa suggested that copies of the proclamation be sent to the county judges of all counties on the border, from Brownsville to El Paso, with the request that it be printed in the Spanish language. Gov. Ferguson favored the plan and it will be carried out.

COUSINS OF DEAD PRESIDENT MADERO FEEL SAFER IN U. S.
Las Vegas, N. M., June 22.—Fernando I. and Ernesto A. Gonzalez, said to be first cousins of the late Francisco I. Madero, president of Mexico, are attending the summer normal here. Their home is in Monterey, N. L., Mexico. Fernando has been a student at the New Mexico university at Albuquerque. He will study at the University of California next term.

Asked if they would return to Mexico and enlist for service in the event of war with this country, the boys said they believed they would feel safer on the north side of the Rio Grande.

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VALLEY NATIVES TO BE NEUTRAL

Applaud Capt. Vidmer's Talk in Which He Promises Them Protection

All Mexican residents of the lower valley in the Yaleta neighborhood were called to the Yaleta school house recently by Capt. George Vidmer, of the Eighth cavalry and told that, in the event of war with Mexico, the Mexican people of the valley would receive the same protection and treatment as the American residents of the valley so long as they remained neutral.

Applauded Talk.
This announcement was received with applause and cheers by the Mexican ranchers and residents of Yaleta and vicinity when Judge L. A. Felix, who acted as interpreter, translated Capt. Vidmer's talk to the native people. Capt. Vidmer told the Mexicans that he wanted none of them to bring him information about the Mexicans on the Juarez side and he wanted none of them to carry information about the American troops to the Mexican side.

"All I want you to do is to go ahead with your daily pursuits, obey the laws and remain neutral and you will receive every protection that any American will receive," Capt. Vidmer is quoted as saying.

Lights Out.
Yaleta has been in the throes of a war excitement for more than a week. Wednesday night the lights were all put out at 10 o'clock in the little valley town and the patrols of soldiers were in the streets and on the roads. Each night observers are sent to the tops of the highest buildings in the town to watch the Rio Grande and prevent any possible raids.

JOSE OROZCO AGAIN IN JAIL; SURRENDERED BY HIS BONDSMAN
Jose Orozco, formerly jefe de armas in Juarez under the revolution of Pascual Orozco, has been surrendered by his bondsman and locked up in the county jail. He was convicted in October on the charge of violating the neutrality laws. He appealed the case and gave a bond of \$1000. Faustino Mendez, one of his bondsmen, Thursday afternoon surrendered the bond and Orozco's arrest followed.

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